

**BRIEFING SCENARIO**

**DEFENSE (Mahon) SUBCOMMITTEE OF HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS CTEE**

Opening 1000-1215 Wednesday and continuing--probably 2 days

DCI -- Opening remarks  
Soviet strategic capability  
Soviet defense capability  
Soviet Theater Forces  
Soviet atomic energy program

*40 Min*

DDI -- Soviet economy  
Satellite economy (briefly)  
Chinese Communist economy, advanced weapons,  
policies/politics/Sino-Soviet dispute

*50 Min*

DCI -- Recaps outlook for Soviet Union and Communist  
world generally

*6 Min*

(This will probably fill the morning session)

DDP -- South Vietnam -- and SEA generally, probably  
including Indonesia/Malaysia  
Cuba -- and Latin America generally

*50 Min*

All hands then stand by on PANAMA ?